

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

EXAMINING GROUP 3691

Docket No.: 1075.1183

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kazuhiro AKUTSU et al.

Serial No. 09/993,616

Group Art Unit: 3691

Confirmation No. 8236

Filed: November 27, 2001

Examiner: John O. Preston

For:

ATM PLACEMENT FEE DETERMINATION METHOD, SERVICE PROVIDING SYSTEM, FINANCING SYSTEM, AUTOMATED TRANSACTION MACHINE, AUTOMATED

FINANCIAL TRANSACTION MACHINE, AND RECORDING MEDIUM IN WHICH ATM

PLACEMENT FEE DETERMINATION PROGRAM IS RECORDED

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 9, 2009, and having a period for response set to expire on February 9, 2010. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to March 9, 2010.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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